

SNOOTER KNOWS

LITTLE ABOUT EVERY THING AND NOT MUCH ABOUT ANYTHING



MR. READER of this newspaper, do you know that next Wednesday, January 31, midnight, is the last moment you will have to pay your poll tax? To be eligible to vote in the elections this year you must have a poll tax receipt and that will cost you \$1.75. There is a primary election in July, a run-off election in August, and the general election in November and not a bit tellin' what other issues are liable to come up that will require voting upon. This year, you are certainly not going to be willing to sit back with folded arms, mouth sealed, and allow these issues to be settled without any assistance, one way or the other, from you.

The election of officers to conduct the affairs of national, state and county is of too much importance to pass up lightly. To your certain knowledge there may be a cow thief or a bootlegger running for some particular office, and so far as your vote for or against, there will be nothing you can do about it. If you talk about it to the voter who has a poll tax he will consider it lightly coming from you because he knows you are not an eligible voter.

The fellow that may profit from the small poll payments will be the candidate who will not have as many voters to call upon.

THERE should be some concessions made to the drouth stricken areas of West Texas by the Civil Works Administration. The farmers have had to go through the fall of last year without harvesting any sign of a crop. They depended wholly upon their crop to furnish money to carry themselves and families through the winter. They had nothing on their farms to sell. Under such a condition hundreds of men in Martin county were found out of work and no prospects in view for them to find labor. The Civil Works Administration came along and provided employment for many but not all of the idle. Gradually, arrangements were made whereby the CWA put more men to work, but about the time a majority of the idle had found employment from the CWA along came a decree to cut down the hours of labor from 30 hours per week to 15, with a possibility of the total abandonment of the CWA setup by February 19.

Winter months are now upon the people of Martin county. A majority of those farmers who were in need of employment were cared for. No rain has fallen to date that would admit the farmer to prepare his land for another crop. That being the case little farming, if any, can be done at this time. The CWA should plan its course to continue providing funds for work and allow as long hours as possible per man, that he may derive as much pay as will provide the necessities and comforts of life for his dependents. Other sections of Texas have been fortunate to receive good winter moisture and the farmers can go to work on their farms. The funds and the number of hours allotted by the CWA could be decreased in these districts and transferred to the fund to be distributed throughout the drouth stricken area of West Texas.

This writer believes that the farmers of Martin county will need some plan devised to furnish them employment until another crop harvest. The farmer, after having prepared his land for seed planting will need a job to provide money to buy the necessities of life. After he has planted his crop and waiting for the time to come for the crop to be worked, will need a job. Then after the crop is laid by waiting for the ripening and the harvest time to come he'll need work. He is in no position to borrow money to feed and clothe his family for he is already in debt and has no security on which to borrow money as in other years. He has to depend upon some source for his money—that only source if from the CWA fund, and his only security to put up is laboring for it. We can see no other way to solve the problem in this district than for the government to continue in force its CWA funds until time is at hand to gather another crop, should there be a crop.

LAST Saturday was another banner business day for the mer-

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CWA PLEA SENT TO AUSTIN

Stanton Director Ready To Take Applications For Loan

FARM CREDIT CORP. IS NOW READY TO MAKE LOANS

HEADQUARTERS OFFICE, MIDLAND, OPENED SATURDAY WITH BRUCE FRAZIER OF BIG SPRING SECY.-TREAS.

(Special To The Reporter)

Midland, Jan. 25.—Bruce Frazier of Big Spring, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Midland Farm Credit Corporation at the meeting held in the county court room Friday.

Sam R. Preston was elected president of the corporation.

Joe Youngblood was elected as an additional Midland county director.

John M. Gist, Ector-Winkler director, was elected vice president.

T. W. Ashley was elected an additional Howard county director. Midland and Howard counties were allowed additional directors on the board when two directorships were made vacant by the withdrawal of Reagan county to enter the San Angelo corporation, and the withdrawal of Ward and Loving counties to enter the El Paso corporation.

Directors present Friday were: George White, Howard county; J. R. Sale, Martin; J. Pearl Rankin, Upton-Crane; W. J. Underwood, Andrews; J. O. Jamison, Glasscock and Preston; Gist, Ashley, and Youngblood. White served as temporary secretary. Leon Shields, representing the main office at Houston met with the directors.

Six men were present to present personally their applications for the

READY TO TAKE APPLICATIONS

J. R. Sale, Martin county member of the board of directors of the Midland Farm Credit Corporation, states that he is ready to take applications for loans, and has an office in the courthouse where he will be pleased to give any information about the loan set-up.

He is also handling the cotton reduction contracts for the Stanton Independent School District, and anyone wishing to conform with this "new deal," see him. All cotton contracts must be signed by Feb. 1.

position of secretary-treasurer, who is virtually the manager of the corporation.

Frazier, the man elected as the active executive of the organization, will move to Midland at an early date to open the office here to handle the business in Martin, Midland, Howard, Ector, Andrews, Glasscock, Upton, Winkler and Crane counties.

Frazier is a resident of Big Spring, has been for seven years and has been an active civic leader during that time. He is experienced in cattle, farming, and oil business. He is now manager of six farms in Howard county. He is a graduate of Texas A. and M. college. He is said by Big Spring people who know him well to be familiar with land and cattle values in this area of West Texas. It is Frazier's plan to come to Midland himself but to leave his family in Big Spring until the school term ends, as he has children in school and his wife is a teacher in the Big Spring system.

Loans Forms Available
Offices of the new Midland Agricultural Credit Corporation, are in the Thomas building, adjoining the postoffice.

A fee of not to exceed 50 cents for making out an application may be charged anywhere in the entire district by anyone aiding in making

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Invited To Midland To President' Ball

PRICE OF \$1.50 PER COUPLE AND \$1.00 TO GO WARM SPRINGS

(Special To Reporter)

Midland, Jan. 25.—Stanton and Martin county people are invited to attend President Roosevelt Ball at the Hotel Scharbauer in Midland the night of January 30.

James S. Noland, chairman of the arrangements committee, says he has engaged one of the best orchestras in West Texas. A price of \$1.50 per couple has been set and it is the plan to send \$1 from each ticket sold to the Warm Springs, Ga., Infantile Paralysis Foundation.

The ball is open to everybody who wishes to show his appreciation and honor for President Roosevelt. It is expected that more than 200 couples will attend. Citizens of all neighboring towns to Midland which will not have a Roosevelt Ball of their own are being invited to join with Midland in honoring the President, January 30th.

STANTON BOY PRESIDENT WEST TEXAS CLUB

(Special To Reporter)
Abilene, Jan. 25.—C. S. (Slats) Williams, popular junior in Simmons university, was chosen recently as president of the Western West Texas club. This is an organization of students in Simmons who hail from west of Big Spring.

Jack Hensley of Wink was named vice president and Josephine Bryan of Pecos, secretary.

Other members are: Johnny Hensley, Wink; Carr Spraberry, Lamesa; Charles Smith, Vivian Harris, Pauline Melton, Big Spring; Fouché Pollard, Midland; Jack McLean, Fabens; Elizabeth Rawlings, Vernon Yearby, El Paso; Granville Hudson, Pyote.

PLEASANT VALLEY CLUB WITH MRS. JEFF WILLIAMS

The county demonstration agent met with the club in its session at the home of Mrs. Jeff Williams. The demonstration was painting, fixing chair bottoms, and covering foot stools. There were five members present. A big time was had by all.

STANTON PARTY LEAVES FOR CISCO AND DALLAS

A party, consisting of five, left Stanton Monday afternoon for Cisco, Seranton, and Dallas. Rev. W. S. Garnett will attend the Baptist Association at Cisco; Mrs. Harry Haislip and daughter, Sara Jean, will visit her sister, Mrs. B. T. Leveridge at Seranton; Joe Hall, continued the trip to Dallas where he will attend the druggist convention and look through the spring stocks displayed at this time for drug stores; J. H. Burnam, also, went to Dallas to attend the state hardware convention.

MRS LUKE CATHEY DIES AT PUTNAM

The children of Mrs. Luke Cathey, were called to Putnam last week owing to the death of the aged lady.

She had an attack of the influenza from which she was unable to rally. Those going from here were: Mr. and Mrs. George Cathey, Luke Cathey and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements.

Those advertising in this issue of the Reporter, trade with them Saturday.

COMMITTEE SETS MARCH 16 AND 17 FOR COUNTY MEET

STANTON DESIGNATED AS THE PLACE TO HOLD INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE EVENTS FOR THE TWO DAYS.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Interscholastic League of Martin county, it was decided to have the county meet on March 16-17. Stanton had earlier been designated as the place for the meet. There has been evidenced an increase of interest and probable participation in Interscholastic League work this year. The county basketball tournament for senior boys will be held at the Lomax gymnasium on Feb. 10; games to begin at 9:30 a. m., sharp. Schools wishing to enter must send in entry lists of players to Director of Athletics on or before Feb. 3.

A basketball tournament for junior boys will be held at Courtney on Feb. 17.

NEW SUBSCRIBER

We lose a few subscribers when someone moves away but the sheet balances for one we lose there is a new one to take their place. J. F. Hamby, who gets his mail on Star Route came in this week and went on the list as a new subscriber. He has been in West Texas for sometime, coming here from Rannels county, four years of it has been spent in Martin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hyde and Harry Haislip, saw the show at the Yucca in Midland Thursday night, Spencer Tracey in "The Mad Game."

Schell Mercantile Co. To Open Saturday

DRY GOODS, READY-TO-WEAR CLEAN AND UP-TO-DATE

"Sparing no pains or expense, we have selected one of the most complete stocks of dry goods, ladies' ready-to-wear and men's work clothes, ever brought to Stanton," was the remark made by Bob Schell, head of the Schell Mercantile Co., to a representative of the Reporter, who, in company with Mrs. Schell and Mrs. J. P. Boyd, had just returned from the markets where stocks were purchased for the new store which opens for business Saturday in Stanton.

Included in the lines of dry goods, and ladies' ready-to-wear is a full line of shoes and gents' furnishings.

The new mercantile company is opening for business in the building on the corner, formerly occupied by the J. A. Clements hardware store. The interior has been renovated and remodeled, fixtures are being placed, stocks price-marked and arranged for the opening. In order to be ready for the opening day, carpenters have been rushed to the nth degree to complete their work, while Mr. and Mrs. Schell and Mrs. Boyd have been working like Trojans, to get the stocks in readiness.

Mr. Schell is no new-comer to Stanton's business circle. From 1910 to 1920, he was head of the Stanton Hardware and Furniture Co, doing a successful business until disposing of his holdings.

"We will endeavor to keep every item that the people call for, and wish to state, if we haven't the article called for, we will make it our duty to get it," stated Mr. Schell.

Mrs. J. P. Boyd of Stanton, will be

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MARTIN COUNTY RELIEF BOARD FOR EXTENSION

LETTER DIRECTED TO STATE ADMINISTRATOR URGES THAT CWA RELIEF CONTINUE UNTIL CROP ASSURED.

The following communication was drafted and sent this week to Lawrence Westbrook, state administrator, by the Martin County Relief Board, urging that CWA funds be continued in this county until crop harvest.

The communication follows:

Stanton, Texas, January 23, 1934

Hon. Lawrence Westbrook, Texas Relief Commission, Austin, Texas, Dear Sir:

At your request the Martin County Relief Board met with the Commissioners' Court, City Council, and other leading citizens of this county and city, to discuss curtailment of civil works in this county.

It was the consensus of opinion that the curtailment of civil works in this county soon would cause undue suffering and privation to hundreds of families. Civil Works activities are the sole support of this county at the present time.

In answer to your first question let us state: Due to extreme drouth conditions for the past 18 months and the present continuation of drouth conditions there is no demand for agricultural labor; and even in the event of getting proper rains, farming here requires so little labor in excess of family supply that unemployment would be reduced only to the extent of farm tenants. Even in the event of getting proper rains, these same farmers would have no income on which to live, consequently could not hire excess labor.

Each farmer works the farm himself, requiring very little, if any, outside labor. Therefore, civil works does not and will not interfere to any great extent with private or agricultural labor. There will be no demand for labor until a crop is to be harvested.

This county depends mostly upon cotton for its money crop. Due to extreme drouth conditions last year, very little cotton was raised. We understand that this county is classed as an emergency drouth stricken county. Please let us impress upon you the extent of the drouth. According to accurate figures supplied by the gins of the county,

... THE COTTON CROP LAST YEAR WAS LESS THAN 3% OF NORMAL.

In addition, we received very little plow-up benefits. Taking these facts into consideration you can understand that this county is in direct distress. Due to these conditions, we respectfully ask that every consideration possible be given us in extending civil works activities in this county.

When, and if, curtailment of civil works begins, please prolong this work in Martin county as long as possible.

We take this opportunity to thank you for the consideration you have given us heretofore. We heartily endorse your administration and direct-

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Mr. J. L. Boyd returned Saturday from Dallas where she visited Miss Zaida Wells. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schell to the city and assisted in the buying of the stock of dry goods for the new store which Mr. Schell is opening Saturday in Stanton.

All Ready For Big Day

TRADES DAY HERE SATURDAY TO BE SEASONBIG EVENT

ALL SET TO ENTERTAIN LARGE CROWD THAT'S EXPECTED TO COME TO DO SWAPPING AND SHOPPING.

Following on the heels of the announcement date of Trades Day reports come from the "boys in the bend of the creek" that they are coming, which is a good sign that about everybody in Martin county will be here Saturday to participate in the big event of the day. Anyone having anything to swap or sell, bring it to town Saturday. The services of an auctioneer will be given free. Rev. Jim Sharp, pastor of the Methodist church, has consented to fill that position. Members of the club will contribute articles to sell at auction, too. The swapping program is expected to be the feature of the day. Merchants will have bargains to offer the public.

At the luncheon Tuesday, Rev. Sharp was elected vice-chairman and he presided at the meeting. Report of Committee on rules and by-laws, was read by W. A. Kaderl and was adopted as read. A big, jolly, good-natured time is awaiting you Saturday in Stanton, some, and enjoy the day.

NEWSPAPER MAN ABOUT TELLS TRUTH IN PLATFORM

The fact that this writer lives clear out of this candidate's district is unfortunate for W. W. (Hick) Halcombe newspaper man of Dimmitt, Castro county, for he loses a vote he would certainly get if we lived in his district.

Halcombe has announced for the State Legislature from his district. Boyce House, who writes a column of West Texas politics in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, says that Halcombe's political document is probably the most amusing in the State since a West Texan running for county attorney a few years ago, made it known that if elected, he would "make lawbreakers think that hell is only 30 feet from the courthouse door." Halcombe says in his platform, "the Legislature of Texas is one of the best shows on earth. Now what I want is a ring-side seat at that show, drawing 10 bucks a day of the people's money. I never made that much dough in my whole life . . . and I am the only candidate who ever ran for office who wasn't raised on a farm, am no farmer now and don't intend to farm if I can help it."

Clyde Harris of the Harris Cash Grocery had the misfortune to cut his hand while cranking his truck. His hand caught on the serial number making a very painful cut, necessitating his carrying the member in a sling.

The Stanton Reporter

James E. Kelly Editor-Publisher
Cora Matlock Kelly Associate Editor

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEES CHARGED:

Table with 2 columns: Category (Congressman, District, County, Precinct) and Fee (\$25.00, 15.00, 10.00, 5.00)

The following candidates have announced for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934.

For Congressman 19th Congressional District:

ARTHUR P. DUGGAN of Littlefield

For District Judge 7th Judicial District:

CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH (Re-Election)
CLYDE E. THOMAS

For District Attorney 7th Judicial District:

CECIL C. COLLINS

For County Judge:

J. S. LAMAR

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor:

J. F. WILLINGHAM

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chants of Stanton. The crowd was the largest of any Saturday the past year outside of the Saturday before Christmas, and the crowd of buyers was by far the largest since any fall day two years ago, when we had a cotton crop. Snooter saw more one dollar and five dollar bills in motion over the counters of the merchants than he saw in all the days put together last fall. It reminded him of one of the red letter trading days in Stanton way back when—there had been a bumper cotton crop made and a good price was being paid for it. This business increase was due to the payroll handed out Saturday by the CWA. Sums from this source had been paid out to the point that most every head of a family in Martin county had a little money to spend. If this course of providing funds for labor on local projects was to be

abandoned by the government, the people of Martin county would be right back in the same condition they were in before the CWA was inaugurated.

FARM CREDIT CORPORATION (continued from page 1)

out the application. Bruce Frazier, the secretary-treasurer, and his assistant, L. E. Layne, were ready Saturday to receive loan applications.

Ranchers, feeders, farmers, dairymen, or any other agriculturists may obtain application loan forms now. If the loans are approved, the money should be available by the last of this month or by Feb. 1, George White an executive member, said. The executive committee expects to pass on loans rapidly after application and appraisals have been made.

Loans as low as \$50 and as high as \$12,000 can be made by the corporation. Larger loans will be partially handled, but about \$12,000 will be made by a master corporation. It was emphasized that the loan corporation is a business institution organized to make loans to farmers, ranchers, sheep raisers, dairymen, feeders or anyone else engaged in agriculture.

The corporation is not necessarily for those who are "in need." It is for anyone who wants a year's loan at 6 per cent for agricultural purposes. Cattle or other livestock, chattels and other possessions may be used for collateral. It was estimated that 12,000 applications would be handled here.

Loan applications are not to be filled in by the manager and his assistant in the Midland headquarters office. Executive committee members pointed out that the Midland office is a district office for nine counties, and has no more relation to Midland county loans than to those of any other county. Applicants who get help on making out their loan applications will be expected to get it elsewhere than from Frazier or Layne; however, these two will be pleased to give counsel, information and aid in every possible way, but they will be kept busy handling district business.

Layne is a University of Texas man, unmarried. He has been employed by the Federal Land Bank, and has banking experience.

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in the employ of the company, and no introduction of her capabilities as a saleslady, need come from this newspaper. For several years she was connected with a ladies' ready-to-wear store in Stanton. Her niftiness with the sewing needle in making any garment or trimming a lady's hat, or selecting the shade of wearing apparel best suited to make the lady ideally dressed, is Mrs. Boyd's hobby.

Appearing on another page of this issue of the Reporter is the announcement of the formal opening of the Schell Mercantile Co.

MARTIN COUNTY BOARD (continued from page 1)

tion of relief activities in Texas.

- Respectfully submitted, RAY SIMPSON, Martin County Administrator
J. MORGAN HALL, Chairman Martin Co. Relief Board
J. S. LAMAR, County Judge
LEE ERBANKS, County Commissioner
W. M. HENSON, County Commissioner
S. C. HOUSTON, Mayor of Stanton
M. F. KING, Alderman of Stanton
GUY EILAND, Alderman of Stanton

Mrs. Earl Powell and Mrs. Doc Moore and children were shopping Tuesday afternoon in Midland.

RIBBLE'S FLOWERS advertisement with logo and contact info: To 10083, BIG SPRING or MIDLAND

Do you ever stop to think? EDSON WAITE, Shawnee, Okla.

That the policy of the stores of your home city is not to sell cheap goods, but to sell the best for the least money.

The watchword of your local business concerns is Service. Concentration of their effort has enabled them to offer merchandise which you require.

They can at all times fill your definite needs and desires.

They carry merchandise which will fill every requirement.

Often you will find a few merchants who assume that the people of their community know that they are in business and will patronize them.

Live merchants of the home city take nothing for granted. They have a quick turn-over of stock and keep their stocks up-to-date and moving rapidly with the aid of newspaper advertising.

Business firms of the home city are working to give you definite, dependable service. You should spend your money where you get your money's worth—and that is in your home town.

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Almighty to remove from our midst, by death, our esteemed friend and co-laborer E. P. Woodard, who, for many years occupied a prominent rank in our midst, maintaining under all circumstances, a character untroubled, and a reputation above reproach.

THEREFORE, resolved, that in the death of Mr. Woodard we have sustained the loss of a friend whose fellowship it was an honor and a pleasure to enjoy; that we bear willing testimony to his virtues, to his unquestioned probity and stainless life; that we offer to his bereaved family and mourning friends, over whom sorrow has hung her sable mantle, our heartfelt condolence, and pray that Infinite Goodness may bring speedy relief to their burdened hearts and inspire them with the consolation that hope in futurity and faith in God gives even in the shadow of the tomb.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions, properly engrossed, be presented to the family of our deceased friend, and to the Stanton Reporter, also recorded in the minutes of the City of Stanton.

- S. C. HOUSTON, Mayor of Stanton
J. E. MOFFETT, M. F. KING, R. A. PURSER, S. D. McWHORTER, CHAS. EBBERSOL, Aldermen
CHAS. EBBERSOL, S. D. McWHORTER, CLYDE KENT, Committee

Miss Dorothy Lee Bassett was the week end guest of Miss LaVell McLean in El Paso.

MARTIN COUNTY'S QUOTA WORKMEN CONTINUE ON JOB

WORKING HOURS REDUCED FROM 30-HOURS PER WEEK TO 15 HOURS. TEAMS AND TRUCKS BACK TO WORK.

Last Friday things looked rather blue for the 462 men working on local CWA projects when the order came that funds to pay for the hire of trucks and teams would be cancelled beginning with the following Monday, also, when the order included a decreasing the work hours from 30 hours per week to 15 hours.

But following upon the heels of the arrival in Washington of State Administrator Lawrence Westbrook and a conference with the head officials, instructions came that teams and trucks would be put back to work, and thus, to a considerable degree, the canopy of blue that hung over the lapper week re-instated, especially, in All would like to see the 30-hours per week re-instated, especially, in this district that suffered a total crop destruction by drouth, the only source from which the Martin county people had to provide money to purchase the absolute necessities of life.

But re-instating the truck and team hire and material purchase, is so deeply appreciative by the officials of the CWA in this county, and workmen, too, that fact, to a great extent, will offset the 15-hour reduction. Payroll Last Week \$4,850

The payroll from the CWA fund to laborers for work on projects under way in Stanton and Martin county, paid out last week, reached the highest amount for any week since the CWA went into operation in this county. According to figures released from the office of the county administrator Monday the sum paid out last Saturday in checks issued on the United States Treasurer amounted to \$4,850. The effects of this amount turned loose in Stanton last Saturday was very noticeably evident, as merchants reported a big trade, and the further fact that more money was seen in the hands of laborers than since the last cotton crop season two years ago.

The Reporter had one groceryman—and by the way an advertiser in this paper—state that last Saturday he enjoyed more trade than he had since he started in business over two years ago. The pretty part about his statement was when he said: "The ad. I had in the Reporter last week sure got the results."

Caliching Street To Highway

The work of caliching the street from the city hall north to a connection with the highway to Lamesa, is about completed, and has added greatly to the beauty of the eye and the convenience of travel.

Order From Hopkins

The order coming from Harry L. Hopkins, Federal administrator reducing the working hours, follows: "You herewith are instructed that effective Jan. 19 all per diem workers are to be put on a work week as follows: In cities of more than 2,500 population the maximum is twenty-four hours a week. In cities of less than 2,500 and open country, the maximum is fifteen hours. All clerical supervisory and professional workers will have a maximum of thirty hours a week with proportionate wage adjustment.

"This does not include administrative workers in administrators' offices. It applies to all civil works and civil works service employes and must be made effective everywhere on that date since disbursing offices will be instructed not to pay for work in excess of the hours provided.

"From this date no name shall be added to any pay roll except in actual replacement of a worker fully terminated and finally paid off."

The order cutting hours in cities to 24 a week and in rural districts to 15 a week, Hopkins said, was the result of "an original bad guess" as to the size of the payrolls and average pay. "I estimated at the outset, that the \$500,000,000 of federal funds would last until February 15," he said. "I estimated the average weekly payroll on the basis of an average of

Better Than Whisky For Colds and Coughs. Your money back while you wait at the drug store if you don't feel relief coming in two minutes by your watch. Try this quick and most pleasant relief. You will be delighted or it will cost you nothing. THOMASONS DAIRY

Now Spilling Dirt



SANTA MONICA: ... Pay Webb Vallee, actress, (above) and husband, Rudy Vallee, crooner, (below) are both making sensational charges in the wife's suit for separate maintenance. She charges the crooner associated with three other women. In reply Rudy promises to produce dictograph evidence of her unfaithfulness.

\$12 a week per person. It ran that way for a while. Projects calling for unskilled workers got started first. Then the projects that called for skilled labor came in the average wage last week was \$14.37.

"This indicated we were running behind from \$8,000,000 to \$9,000,000 a week."

Made Grants To Westbrook

The Civil Works Administration made grants last Saturday to Texas which Lawrence Westbrook, the state director, said would prevent "dropping 100,000 men from the Civil Works Monday morning."

He announced Administrator Harry L. Hopkins had agreed to allocate \$200,000 a week for team and truck hire and \$250,000 weekly for purchase of materials.

"These grants will enable us to carry forward our road program and the various projects requiring new materials on substantially the same basis as in the past," he said, adding that without them 100,000 men would have been left without work "over and above the curtailment in hours already ordered in the Administration's stagger system."

462 Men On The Job

According to County Administrator Ray Simpson, there are 462 men at work on various CWA projects in Martin county, and no room remains for any new laborers at this time. The only way a laborer, other than now on the payroll, can get on the job, is in case of a vacancy in the regular ranks.

MARRIED IN BIG SPRING

Mr. Henry Bridges and Miss Jimmie Johnston, were married in Big Spring last Saturday evening.

As we are your school mates we wish you happiness in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaderli and Mr. and Mrs. John Priddy, attended the matinee at the Ritz in Midland, Sunday afternoon to see Joe Brown in "Son of a Sailor."

Miss Sarah Henson was the guest Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelly at the matinee in Midland to see Joan Crawford at the Yucca, in "Dancing Lady."

READ THE WANT ADS. For Vibrant Health MILK and plenty of it, is the natural answer. Of all the vital needs of growing children, nothing is more important than proper food. Try our milk and cream. THOMASONS DAIRY

HOWARD COUNTY DISTRICT COURT ON ITS 3RD. WEKE

(By Special Reporter Correspondent) Following is the record of cases disposed of in the Howard county district court since the last issue of the reporter:

State vs. Alvin Baker, burglary, plea of guilty before court, 2 years suspended sentence.

State vs. H. F. Hailey, forgery and passing forged instrument; plea of guilty before court; verdict, 2 years suspended sentence.

State vs. Stormy Newton and Earnest Foster, cattle theft, pleas of guilty before the court. Newton having previously been convicted, was given 2 years in penitentiary; Foster received 2 years suspended sentence.

State vs. W. C. Yell, theft by baillee, defendant plead guilty. Case dismissed during trial by District Attorney, it developing the State deemed it did not have sufficient evidence to convict.

State vs. D. W. Christian, Jr., driving automobile while intoxicated. Plea of guilty before court. Verdict 1 year suspended sentence and suspension of right to drive an automobile for 30 days.

West Texas National Bank, a corporation, versus Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. et al. The plaintiff, West Texas National Bank, a corporation, was represented by Attorneys Thomas & McDonald, who also represented the defendant, Hilo Hatch, in which plaintiff sued defendant Hatch on two notes and foreclosure of a chattel mortgage. Plaintiff, West Texas National Bank, a corporation, and defendant, Hilo Hatch, also sued the defendant, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co., a corporation, which was represented by Morrison & Morrison. This was a suit for conversion of the property and in the alternative, if they be mistaken about the conversion, then a suit for rental of the property. The jury returned a verdict for some \$400 rental due from defendant, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co.

In addition to the above civil cases set for the week of January 22, were the following cases, which were disposed of as shown:

Grace Williams et al vs Traders General Insurance Co., suit to set aside award, agreed judgment entered as per judgment filed.

Fred Nephew vs Consolidated Underwriters, suit to set aside award, agreed judgment entered.

G. L. Brown vs. J. E. Adams et al, debt and foreclosure, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Consolidated Underwriters vs. Fred Nephew, suit to set aside award, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Following divorces granted: Nora Beauchamp vs. W. J. Beauchamp, maiden name of Nora Nabors restored to plaintiff.

Polly Shackelford vs. Harvey Shackelford, maiden name of Polly Webb restored to plaintiff.

Following Cases Set For Week of January 29th:

No. 2337, D. A. Rhotan et ux vs. Texas Land & Mortgage Co. Ltd. et al, suit on title.

No. 2375, W. R. Moore vs. J. R. Dillard et al, damages.

Mrs. Cullen Wilson and little "Sunny Boy," returned to their home in Colorado last Saturday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilson and family. Mr. Wilson brought them the Saturday before.

Why Liquid Laxatives are Back in Favor advertisement with spoon icon.

The public is fast returning to the use of liquid laxatives. People have learned that the properly prepared liquid laxative will bring a perfect movement without any discomfort at the time, or after.

The dose of a liquid laxative can be varied to suit the needs of the individual. The action can thus be regulated. A child is easily given the right dose. And mild liquid laxatives do not irritate the kidneys.

Doctors are generally agreed that senna is the best laxative for everybody. Senna is a natural laxative. It does not drain the system like the cathartics that leave you so thirsty. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a liquid laxative which relies on senna for its laxative action. It has the average person's bowels as regular as clockwork in a few weeks' time.

You can always get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at any drugstore, ready for use. Member N. R. A.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Daily advertisement for Bryan's Cash Grocery, including items like carrots, beets, green beans, celery, turnips, etc.

SARAH'S BEAUTY SHOPPE advertisement listing cosmetics and prices: Permanents \$5.35-2.00, MMS. RUBINOFF'S COSMETICS USED.

SPECIALS advertisement for M. J. B. CO'S ALLADIN COFFEE, VACUUM PACKED, listing prices for 1 lb. can (29c) and 3 lb. can (80c).

BUFFALO BELLOWS

LLOYD BREWER, EDITOR

The Home Economics I class, completed their study of child care and guidance with a children's party. They enjoyed playing in the sand tables looking at picture books, painting, etc. for about an hour. After that they were served fruit punch and animal sandwiches. Those present were: Shirley Mae Maggart, Ann Garnett, Sue Houston, Wanda Jean Hopkins, Penny Kelly, Patsy Jean Kelly, Bobbie Lou Atchison, Billy Jean Keisling, Francynne Wilkinson, Howard Smith, Mammie Dan Wiswell, Jean Davis.

The Senior class are having a party in Big Spring, Saturday night. The party will be given by Edelle's Aunt. After the party plans are being made to attend the midnight show.

Since the mid-term examination

the senior class has increased in number. The new pupils are Norman Orr, Truman McCain, Louise Rogers, Ora Sharp. We are always glad to see new pupils in the class. We hope that they will enjoy being a senior with us.

TARZAN 4-H CLUB MET

WITH M. H. WHITE, JAN. 17

The Tarzan 4-H Pantry club met with Mrs. M. H. White, on Wednesday, Jan. 17th.

Miss Miller gave a demonstration on refinishing furniture, which was very interesting.

The club will meet again Feb. 7th. All members are requested to be present to work out plans for the year.

Seems that during the holidays members became careless and lost interest in the club work. Lets attend these meetings regularly and try to make this year even more interesting than last. All those who attended our achievement day saw just what a home demonstration agent means to a community.

4-H CLUB NEWS

"To Make the Best, Better"

MISS MYRTLE MILLER
Home Demonstration Agent

YEAR BOOK FOR 1934

The Home Demonstration Women of Martin County, will have a year book for 1934. In this book will be the programs for the year and other information. Mrs. B. Foreman of Lenorah, is chairman.

4-HC GOALS ADOPTED BY MARTIN COUNTY

Goals adopted by the Martin County Home Demonstration Council for the year at the regular meeting Saturday, were Farm Food Supply.

1. A two years' food supply
2. To make and fill a canning budget.
3. Twelve grape vines for every Martin county home.
4. Shelves for storage of canned products.

Wardrobe

1. To make a dress for the County Clothing contest by foundation waist and sleeve pattern.
2. Learn to cut sleeves and various styles from a foundation sleeve pattern.

Bedroom

1. Refinish or supply a needed piece of furniture.
2. Improve the walls, woodwork or floor of a bedroom or other room.
3. Make two improvements in bedding, as spring cover, mattress cover, mattress protector sheets 81x108, lengthen short sheets, pillows, pillow protectors, pillow cases, quilts, woolen or down comforts, blankets or bed spread.

4-HC STANDING RULES ADOPTED

Standing rules for 1934 were adopted by the Martin County Council Saturday. Organizations preparing constitution and by-laws for adoption are Pleasant Valley, Flower Grove,



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GOOD RECIPE FOR THE YEAR 1934

We are indebted to Mrs. Sam Stamp for the following recipe for a better 1934. It was sent to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Johnson of Mission, Texas, by the granddaughter, Kay Johnson, of Missouri. The recipe: 4 cup health; 2 cups happiness; 1 depression well beaten; 2-3 cups of fun; 2 cups work; 1 teaspoon of pep; 1 teaspoon smiles; cream the health and happiness; add a well beaten depression; sift the pep and work three times and add alternately with the fun. Flavor with smiles and bake in prosperous oven. Cut in large squares and top with a heaping spoon of good wishes.

ings last week were Lenorah, Stanton, Pleasant Valley, Tarzan, Courtney, Flower Grove and Brown.

Plans were made for the year. Furniture refinishing demonstrations were given or planned in each community.

Very Latest



Pattern No. 8103: Designed in 5 Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 2 1/2 yards of 36 inch material. Collar, belt and cuffs require 3/4 yard of 36 inch material. Skirt requires 3/4 yard of 36 inch material. Binding to hem skirt edge and neck.

8103

Pattern No. 8087: Designed in 5 Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 2 1/2 yards of 36 inch material. Collar, belt and cuffs require 3/4 yard of 36 inch material. Skirt requires 3/4 yard of 36 inch material. Binding to hem skirt edge and neck.

For School

8103—Epaulettes and pleats—and what better than the pleats to form broad panes from belt to hem; and the epaulettes flaring jauntily over the sleeves with soft fullness above a band cuff.

The collar leaves the neck comfortable. It may be of white linen or pipette if you make the dress of wool crepe or velveteen. If of wash materials—gingham or in cotton or rayon prints, then have a collar, cuffs and belt in white or in a contrasting color of plain material.

The Smart Matron 8087—Printed velvet was used for this distinctive model. Pippings of satin give it a smart touch. You will like the slendering lines and attractive seaming with just enough flare in the straight line skirt to give ease. The raglan shoulder lines are es-

Tarzan, Lenorah and Stanton. 4-HC VISITS IN STANTON

The Relief House and the 4-H Pantry Demonstration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gray, were visited Tuesday by Mrs. E. Drappelman and Miss Eulalia Whitefield of Midland.

4-HC PROGRESS OF WARDROBE DEMONSTRATION

A brown broadcloth coat suit is being made by Mrs. W. H. Fulkerson of Wolcott, from a man's suit. Lining and buttons on hand will be used. The cost will be for thread.

An attractive plaid dress of cotton was designed and made by Mrs. B. Foreman of Lenorah at a cost of less than a dollar.

A clothes closet is being planned by Mrs. Lee Eubanks, wardrobe demonstrator of Stanton.

Miss Katie Spott of Patricia and Mrs. S. P. Myrick of Courtney have made inventories of their wardrobes this month. This is of value in planning future clothing.

Making a skirt, blouse, beret, cotton dress and slip for herself and two suits, two blouses, two ties and an overcoat for her boys valued at \$13.75 for a cash expenditure of \$2.45 was the accomplishment of Mrs. J. R. Wheeler of Tarzan. The skirt was made from a winter coat, a faded mesh dress was dyed and made into an attractive blanket for outlay of 15 cents. The beret was made from a scrap with no cost. A suit was made for Mr. Wheeler in the fall. All members of the family have profited by Mrs. Wheeler's efforts.

4-HC Communities holding club meet-

For Extra-Fast Relief
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GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN

Because of a unique process in manufacture, Genuine Bayer Aspirin Tablets are made to disintegrate—or dissolve—INSTANTLY you take them. Thus they start to work instantly. Start "taking hold" of even a severe headache; neuralgia, neuritis or rheumatic pain a few minutes after taking. And they provide SAFE relief—**for Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN**

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A Spirit of Trades Day
with Low Prices shouted from the rooftops, will be a Trade Attraction at this store, Saturday.

TRADES DAY is a trade revival event to keep the wheels of industry turning . . . and help speed along recovery which is being recorded all over the country. Drive into Stanton, Saturday, and around to our store—such Bargains you'll seldom find.

This store is putting on an event that offers the opportunity for all to profit:

Ladies' Full Fashion Pure Silk Hose, Spring Shades, 69c value, Trades Day Special 2 pr. for \$1.09	Men's Good heavy weight Union Suits, 98c value, Trades Day Special 89c
Ladies' Sheer Chiffon Hose, Spring colors, 98c value, Trades Day Special, pair 79c	Men's Good Medium weight Union Suits, 79c value, Trades Day Special 69c pair
Ladies Chiffon and Service weight Hose, 79c value, Trades Day Special, pair 65c	Children's long sleeve and long legs, good heavy Union Suits, 69c values, Trades Day Special 59c pr
Children's Jersey Knit Bloomers, 25c value, Trades Day Special 19c	Men's good heavy blanket lined Jumpers, \$1.49 value, Trades Day Special \$1.35
One Lot / 'ies' Tams, 98c value, Trades Day Special 69c	Men's good Corduroy Pants \$2.98 value, Trades Day Special \$2.19
Men's Moleskin and Sheep lined coats, \$3.98 value, Trades Day Special \$2.98	Good large Woolnap Blanket, size 72x84, \$2.98 value, Trades Day Special \$2.29
Boys' Moleskin and Sheep lined coats, \$2.49 value, Trades Day Special \$1.98	

Wilson's 5c to \$1 Store
Stanton, Texas

Those advertising in this issue of the Reporter, trade with them Saturday.

pecially becoming to the large woman, as is also the simple effective closing on the waist front. Faillie, broadcloth, sheer woolen or crepe is also suggested for this style.

For PATTERN, send 15 cents in coin (for each pattern desired), your NAME, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER and SIZE to Patricia Dow, Stanton Reporter, Pattern Dept., 115 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Loraine Belnap, who formerly was with Sinclair Refining Co., here, but now at her home in Ranger, spent the week end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lauderdale. She was accompanied by her mother, sister, and brother.

We will receive hatching eggs, beginning Feb. 3rd. Bring eggs any time. Setting days Monday and Friday; hatch days Tuesday and Saturday.

STANTON HATCHERY
Across East from Courthouse

ON TRADES DAY

Saturday 27th, we will Swap Cleaning and Pressing for Canned Goods.

Order your clothes from the

Taylor-man
JAMES JONES
Specialist in
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Clothes

THE TOGGERY
PHONE 22

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We Have a New Line of—

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Also

A new line of—

Star Tires

At Extra Low Prices
TRY OUR NEW

Octane Gas

A CONDENSER PRODUCT

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Come in TRADES DAY Saturday, Jan 27th

Bring us your Cream and Eggs and Take a Free Cup of Good Coffee With Us

Woman's Club Coffee 83c
3 Lbs.

Buy 3 Packages of Royal Gellatin for 21c, get the fourth 1c one for

HARRIS CASH STORE
Prompt Services and Quality Prices
PHONE 14

FINE STATIONERY—is a mark of good taste; boxes \$1.00 up. A woman's correspondence is frequently taken as a very definite index of her social status. Don't let her stationery detract from the place she may rightfully deserve.

ORR DRUG STORE

KEEP WELL



WINTER weather brings many hazards to health. Quick changes are always followed by colds and complicated illnesses. Avoid illness by the use of known, proven and established preventatives. Stock your medicine cabinet now. Be prepared to check threatened illness before it gets a start.

J. L. HALL THE DRUGGIST

Those advertising in this issue of the Reporter, trade with them Saturday.

SOME BUSY IRISHMEN

We don't know so much about the nationality of Raymond Blackford, third member of the party, but anyone spelling their name Connel, especially after losing the "O" in crossing the ocean, is bound to come from good old Irish stock.

Anyway, D. (Dennis) J. Connell, his son, John, and Raymond Blackford, have been putting in a full day's work and half the night, this week building counters, and doing other carpenter work on the interior of the building for the Schell Mercantile Co.

If "D. J." can keep in "spit-and-drown plug out" he'll get the job done, and done according to Hoyte.

ATTENTION MEMBERS OF STANTON RAQUET CLUB

Call meeting at the Toggery on Tuesday night, February 6th, for the purpose of transacting important business. All members are urged to be present.

Iola Wilkinson Secretary

LENORAH

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Foreman and Mrs. C. B. Winter attended the play

Remedy Removes Cause Of Stomach Gas

Most stomach GAS is due to bowel problems. For quick relief use Adlerika. One dose cleans out body wastes, tones up system, brings sound sleep. J. L. Hall, Druggist.

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If you want rich, pure milk delivered daily to your door you will change and try Stamps Dairy milk. It is rich in butter fat and contains all food qualities

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SUPPLIES IN HARDWARE

With the wear and tear of the production season at an end, now is the time to turn attention to needed supplies and equipment for winter months. Our stocks have been replenished and we were fortunate in buying at rock bottom prices—thus enabling us to pass along savings to our customers.

J. H. BURNAM HARDWARE COMPANY

J. H. BURNAM CLAYTON BURNAM

Saturday night at TARZAN.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fortune visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Winter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willingham entertained the young folks Saturday night with a party.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Edwards visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Clements.

Carl Cox of Patricia, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. H. W. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burns of Stanton, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. John Pinkston and family.

T. P. Edwards returned Sunday from Odessa.

Dow Willingham from Toyah, visited Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Halslip spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott.

Mrs. C. E. Willingham made a hurried trip to Dallas with her younger son, Howard, Tuesday night.

Mrs. T. H. Baas, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Shack Baas, who is ill at Brown.

Miss Eudell Branton visited Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Branton.

Little Misses Gertie Mae Baas and Claudie Winter were on the sick list this week.

Mrs. M. M. Wozencraft is visiting her mother at Tahoka.

I. H. Beene left Tuesday morning for Toyah, where he is going to work. S. J. Foreman made a business trip Tuesday to Lamesa.

VALLEY VIEW

Miss Carline Rutledge spent Friday night in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements and family were called to the bedside of their mother and grandmother Mrs. Luke Cathey in Putnam, last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Cathey succumbed to an attack of heart trouble Monday afternoon. All of their many friends extend the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow.

F. Haynes was in Stanton Saturday.

Mrs. N. J. Scott is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. P. Walton at Big Spring.

Miss Geneva Scott was in Big Spring, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. I. King and family

BREAD, PIES

CAKE

THE KIND YOUR MOTHER USED TO MAKE

AT

MY BAKERY

MIDLAND, TEXAS

were in Big Spring, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burchett of Big Spring, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King and family Sunday.

Miss Laree Massey, who has been employed at Colorado, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Massey, the past week end.

O. L. Donaldson and family visited Sunday in the E. M. Massey home.

G. B. Vanlandingham and C. C. Reed visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Massey.

Odis Petty visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Weathers last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearey and family of McClintic community, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glendening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Prather and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Malone and family in Big Spring, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orby Hull and family have moved to the Lenora community.

Mr. and Mrs. Britton Hull and family of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Hull and sons Bud and Raymond of Courtney, visited Sunday with Orby Hull and family.

Elbert Loveless spent the week end in Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Haynes and Frank Drummond of the Tarzan

J. E. MOFFETT

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Big Spring, Texas

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

DRS. ELLINGTON & ROGERS

DENTISTS

General Practice and Orthodontia

Petroleum Bldg Ph. 281 Big Spring

community, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haynes and family.

L. C. Mize was in Big Spring, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeese, were in Stanton, Saturday.

Mrs. R. C. Cambell visited Sunday with Mrs. Mone McKaskil.

J. W. Meeks visited Sunday with G. B. Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Caffey were

FACULTY AND STUDENT BODY EXTEND SYMPATHY

We the faculty members and student body of the Valley View school, extend our sincerest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Caffey in their bereavement. Knowing that words can do little to help, we offer rather the sympathy of our hearts and the prayers that God will comfort them.

Mrs. Riggs Shepperd
Miss Bessie Hamilton
J. E. Loveless
Riggs Shepperd

called Wednesday to the bedside of their father, J. M. Terry at Midland. Mr. Terry succumbed Friday night at 10 o'clock to burns obtained when his daughter's home in Midland county, was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning.

All of the numerous friends of Mr. G. B. Pollock and family extend deepest sympathy to them in this time of sorrow, caused by the death of their beloved father and grandfather, Mr. E. W. Pollock. The deceased, who has been making his home with his daughter at Clyde, Texas, succumbed to pneumonia on Thursday of the past week. Mr. G. B. Pollock returned Saturday night to Valley View from Clyde where he attended the funeral.

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PREVUE SAT. NITE SUNDAY-MONDAY



(THE PICTURE THAT CELEBRATES HER HAPPY BIRTHDAY)

NOW SHOWING!

U. S. DECLARES WAR ON KIDNAPERS-

"The Mad Game"

With

SPENCER TRACY
CLAIRE TREVOR
RALPH MORGAN

If Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Whitson will present this Ad. at the Box Office any time during the week between January 27th and February 7th, they will be given two guest tickets.

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FORMAL OPENING
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Saturday, January 27th

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Opening DAY

WE WILL HAVE PLENTY OF SURPRISE SPECIALS AND SOUVENIRS FOR THE LADIES.

MAKE OUR STORE YOUR HEADQUARTERS.

We extend a cordial invitation to the people of Stanton and Martin County to call on us Saturday, January 27th, to inspect our new, modern, and complete stock of Dry Goods, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, full line of Men's Furnishings, including a complete line of Men's Work Clothes.

We will, on that date, open for business in the building on the corner, formerly occupied by the J. A. Clements Hardware store

We will strive diligently to meet the every want of the trading public by keeping a complete stock in all departments of our store. If we haven't got it, we'll get it.